



BUREAU OF LAND MANAGEMENT  
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**VALE MORNING SITUATION REPORT FOR: 7-05-03**

NATIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL:	3	BAKER FIRE DANGER (352420-C)	E
REGIONAL PREPAREDNESS LEVEL:	3	MALHEUR FIRE DANGER (353616)	E
VALE PREPAREDNESS LEVEL:	2	JORDAN FIRE DANGER (353612-A)	E

**BAKER RA:**

No new fires.

**MALHEUR RA:**

No new fires.

**JORDAN RA:**

No new fires.

**COMMENTS:**

10 SRV Crews are available.  
Todd Gregory is on the Davis Fire TFLD  
2 SRV Crews are on the Davis Fire.  
Jeri Ross is now on the Davis Fire. EDRC  
5 SRV crews are on the Fawn Peak Fire.  
Adam Jacobs and Ryan Steele are on the Fawn Peak Fire.  
Tom Bangs is now on the Fawn Peak Fire. RCDM

**WEATHER:**

Vale Weather: Partly Cloudy.  
Temps 77-90, Rh's 6-16%, Winds west/upslope 10-15, Haines 5 (moderate), LAL 1.  
Pendleton Weather: Mostly Sunny  
Temps 74-81, Rh's 25-33%, Winds W/NW 7-12, LAL 1, Haines 3 (very low).

**DEFINITIONS:**

**LAL (Lightning Activity Level):** A numerical rating from the lowest of 1 to the highest of 6, keyed to the start of thunderstorms and the frequency and character of cloud-to-ground lightning forecasted or observed on a rating area during a rating period.

**Haines Index:** A national fire-weather index based on the stability and moisture content of the lower atmosphere and their direct relationship to the growth of large fires. The index is from 2-6 with 2 being the lowest potential for large fire growth while 6 is the highest large fire growth potential.